



**BURRILLVILLE CONSERVATION COMMISSION
105 HARRISVILLE MAIN STREET
HARRISVILLE, RHODE ISLAND 02830**

MEETING AGENDA

DATE POSTED: _____

Date: Tuesday, August 19, 2025, at 6:30 PM

Meeting Location: American Legion Post #88, Binns Building, 111 Chapel Street, Harrisville, RI 02830

Attendance:

Business to be considered and acted upon:

- 1) Accept the June 2025 Meeting Minutes.
- 2) Wallum Lake Dam/Canoe Launch Area: Lake water level (elevation in feet). Dam and Canoe Launch Area Manager's Report.
- 3) Quarterly Conservation Programs and Events: Scheduling of community presentations and ongoing events report.
- 4) Burrillville Wildlife Conservation Plan (BWCP), Sub-Committee report.
- 5) Water Protection.
- 6) Town Properties and Conservation Area project status and land steward maintenance activity reports:
 1. Nipmuc Conservation Area. Repaint all trail blazes. Hazardous tree removals.
 2. Lapham Farm Conservation Area. New kiosk Installation planned for end of August 2025.
 3. Union Pond Park & Conservation Area. New kiosk Installation and parking signs planned for end of August 2025.
 4. Branch River Park. Additional trail map install. Temporary repairs and material estimate for orange trail bridge repair.
 5. Beckwith-Buckshaw Recreation Ctr trails. New Kiosk planned with Scouts. Trail maintenance in fields on-going.
 6. Duck Pond Recreation Trails. New trail map in-progress. "No Dirt Bike" signs posted.
 7. Wallum Lake Canoe Launch. Ongoing litter cleanups and usage being monitored.
 8. Canoe Launches Clear & Branch Rivers - A new Kiosk at the Harrisville Stillwater Canoe Launch is planned.
- 7) Adopt-A-Spot & Town Gateway Signs: Burrillville/N. Smithfield line (Rt 102 & Rt 7), Burrillville/Glocester line (Rt 102) report.
 1. The Town DPW Department are set to repair or replace the three gateway signs as part of the FY26 CAP (plan).
 2. Meeting held with RIDOT Glocester Facility Superintendent on mowing scheduling.
 3. BCC completed mowing and tree trimming in month of July.
- 8) Town Council, Planning Board, and Zoning Board, meeting agendas, and meeting minutes review. (Discussions, and votes).
- 9) BCC Fiscal Year 2025 Budget Report: Payments of outstanding invoices. (Discussion, and vote).
- 10) Old Business: 1. Beaver Deceiver Project Status. 2. Guided walks.
- 11) New Business:
 1. BCC Office Supplies and Education and Training needed, Discussion and vote.
 2. Priority Initiatives FY 2026 (July 2025 -June 2026).
 3. Annual Downtown Pascoag Assoc. - End of Summer Block Party - BCC Informational Booth - August 16th 4pm-7pm.
 4. Burrillville 250 Commission - September 2025 Tree planting, Assembly Theater Grounds.
- 12) Mail and Correspondence.
- 13) Adjournment.